### House Calendar No. 186

105TH CONGRESS 2D SESSION

## H. RES. 427

[Report No. 105-530]

Providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 512) to prohibit the expenditure of funds from the Land and Water Conservation Fund for the creation of new National Wildlife Refuges without specific authorization from Congress pursuant to a recommendation from the United States Fish and Wildlife Service to create the refuge.

### IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

May 12, 1998

Mr. McInnis, from the Committee on Rules, reported the following resolution; which was referred to the House Calendar and ordered to be printed

## RESOLUTION

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- 1 Resolved, That at any time after the adoption of this
- 2 resolution the Speaker may, pursuant to clause 1(b) of
- 3 rule XXIII, declare the House resolved into the Committee

of the Whole House on the state of the Union for consideration of the bill (H.R. 512) to prohibit the expenditure 3 of funds from the Land and Water Conservation Fund for the creation of new National Wildlife Refuges without specific authorization from Congress pursuant to a rec-6 ommendation from the United States Fish and Wildlife Service to create the refuge. The first reading of the bill 8 shall be dispensed with. General debate shall be confined to the bill and shall not exceed one hour equally divided 10 and controlled by the chairman and ranking minority member of the Committee on Resources. After general debate the bill shall be considered for amendment under the 12 five-minute rule. It shall be in order to consider as an original bill for the purpose of amendment under the five-14 15 minute rule the amendment in the nature of a substitute printed in the Congressional Record and numbered 1 pur-16 17 suant to clause 6 of rule XXIII. That amendment shall be considered as read. Points of order against that amend-18 ment for failure to comply with clause 7 of rule XVI are 19 20 waived. During consideration of the bill for amendment, 21 the Chairman of the Committee of the Whole may accord priority in recognition on the basis of whether the Member 23 offering an amendment has caused it to be printed in the portion of the Congressional Record designated for that purpose in clause 6 of rule XXIII. Amendments so printed

- 1 shall be considered as read. The chairman of the Commit-
- 2 tee of the Whole may: (1) postpone until a time during
- 3 further consideration in the Committee of the Whole a re-
- 4 quest for a recorded vote on any amendment; and (2) re-
- 5 duce to five minutes the minimum time for electronic vot-
- 6 ing on any postponed question that follows another elec-
- 7 tronic vote without intervening business, provided that the
- 8 minimum time for electronic voting on the first in any se-
- 9 ries of questions shall be 15 minutes. At the conclusion
- 10 of consideration of the bill for amendment the Committee
- 11 shall rise and report the bill to the House with such
- 12 amendments as may have been adopted. Any Member may
- 13 demand a separate vote in the House on any amendment
- 14 adopted in the Committee of the Whole to the bill or to
- 15 the amendment in the nature of a substitute made in order
- 16 as original text. The previous question shall be considered
- 17 as ordered on the bill and amendments thereto to final
- 18 passage without intervening motion except one motion to
- 19 recommit with or without instructions.

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